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Dear Mr. Wellen!

As you know, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has been investigating waste disposal at the Collis Corporation, Division of Chamberlain Manufacturing, facility in Clinton, Iowa, under our potential uncontrolled site program. It is our understanding that the Iowa Department of Environmental Quality (IDEQ) has also inspected this facility as a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) compliance activity.

Both EPA and IDEQ have indicated to Collis that groundwater monitoring for the site may be required for our respective programs. As discussed and we have agreed, EPA will request Collis to submit their proposal for environmental monitoring, including groundwater monitoring, to EPA, Region VII. We will then forward a copy to you for Iowa's review under the RCRA compliance program. This letter is to confirm our agreement. We will contact Collis and request that their proposed environmental monitoring plan be sent to EPA. A copy will be forwarded to you upon receipt.

Please contact me or Katie Biggs at (816) 374-6532, if you have any questions or if I can be of further assistance regarding this site.

Sincerely yours,

David V. Crawford

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